

**In the claims:**



1. (currently amended) Device (1) for cleaning and rinsing drinking vessels, comprising a plastic base (3) arranged on suction legs (2) and at least one pre-rinse pan (4) with cleaning brushes, which pre-rinse pan is fixed to said base and is open on the top, and a post-rinse device (5) arranged next to it and having a vertical conductor tube (6) for supplying water, said post-rinse device (5) and said pre-rinse pan (4) being connected to a water connection (7), characterized in that said base (3) is formed as a water-tight encapsulated hollow body having arranged in the interior thereof the water feed(s) for the pre-rinse and the post-rinse devices.
2. (currently amended) Device according to claim 1, characterized in that said base (3) is provided with a sealed passage opening (10) for a connecting sleeve (12) for securing a water hose (14) for water supply.
3. (currently amended) Device according to claim 1 or 2, characterized in that said connecting sleeve (12) is formed as a sealing cap (11) which at the same serves as a water connection (7).
4. (currently amended) Device according to ~~any one of the claims 1 to 3~~, characterized in that said sealing cap (11) is sealed by means of O-rings (17, 18), both on a screw neck (19) inside said base (3) and on said passage opening (10) of the base (3) against the outside.

5. (currently amended) Device according to ~~any one of the claims 1 to 4~~ 3, characterized in that for mounting a plug-type coupler (13) said connecting sleeve (12) is directed radially laterally from said sealing cap (11).
6. (currently amended) Device according to ~~any one of the claims 1 to 5~~ 4, characterized in that said connecting sleeve (12) together with said sealing cap (11) can be pivoted about its axis.
7. (currently amended) Device according to ~~any one of the claims 1 to 6~~ 3, characterized in that said passage opening (10) for the water connection (7) is arranged on the underside of the base (3), and that water supply to the cleaning and rinsing device takes place through an angled connecting sleeve (12).
8. (currently amended) Device according to ~~any one of the claims 1 to 7~~ 2, characterized in that said water hose (14) can be mounted to said connecting sleeve (12) by means of a self-clamping plug-type coupler (13).
9. (currently amended) Device according to ~~any one of the claims 1 to 8~~ 1, characterized in that a ~~said~~ base housing (8) which is formed as a hollow body has downwardly directed supporting legs (24) which are integrally formed

with said base housing (8) on the rim-side thereof and which have suction cups (25) mounted to them.

Please add the following claims:

10. (New) Device according to claim 4, characterized in that for mounting a plug-type coupler said connecting sleeve is directed radially laterally from said sealing cap.
11. (New) Device according to claim 3, characterized in that said water hose can be mounted to said connecting sleeve by means of a self-clamping plug-type coupler.